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2. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 15]
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-Descriptive Title of the Invention
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-Brief Summary of the Invention
-Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
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-Claim(s)
-Abstract of the Disclosure
3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. § 113) [Total Sheets 5]
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
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6. ☒ Application Data Sheet per 37 C.F.R. § 1.76
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8. ☒ Prior application is assigned to Respironics, Inc. by Assignment recorded September 3, 2002 Reel 013239 Frame(s) 0228.

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
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(when there is an assignee)
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